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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

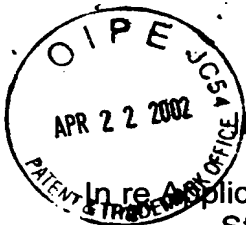
- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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For: Use of Distorting Optics In
Imaging Systems

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Group Art Unit: 2851

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<u>10 April 2002</u> Date	<u>William B. Patterson</u> Signature

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Applicant files this Response to a Notice to File Missing Parts (Form PTO-1533), within the two-month period set to expire on May 18, 2002. The notice (copy enclosed) indicates that the application was filed without a signed declaration.

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application is an authorization for payment of the required fees and a signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in response to the missing parts request. Also enclosed is a Verified Small Entity Statement Claiming Small Entity Status with the required signature.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge a total of \$500 as payment of the statutory basic filing fee and surcharge associated with this Communication and Response, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-0782/THOR/0010/WBP.

Respectfully submitted,

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